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SANITATION OF FAR EAST.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS' GRADING.

SHANGHAI AND HONGKONG.

An afternoon session of the League of Nations Conference, which commenced at 2 p.m., was of special interest from the point of view of the sanitation of Far Eastern ports. Dr. C. E. Lim, who was one of the first students to graduate from Hongkong University, read a most interesting paper on the League of Nations' grading of Far East centres, from the point of view of Shanghai being possibly graded as a third class port, and he recommended a sanitary survey of the city. A discussion as to the bearing of this subject on the port of Hongkong opened afterwards, too late for inclusion in this issue.

The session dealt primarily with public health, and the C.M.O., Dr. Addison, presided, what was perhaps one of the most important subjects on the conference programme. One of the papers listed for discussion was on "Plague in Hongkong," and other matters relating to local sanitary problems were taken up later.

Our readers will probably recollect a Reuters cable of January 18th last, referring to the despatch of Dr. Norman White, by the League of Nations, to Singapore, to preside there over a forthcoming conference of representatives of the sanitary organisations of the Far East, with a view eventually to opening an Epidemics Bureau in Singapore, and the calling of a convention for the grading of Far Eastern ports. The object of this move by the League is to improve the health conditions of Far East cities, and no doubt Hongkong will be greatly affected, as it has the evil reputation of being a plague disseminating centre for the whole world.

DR. C. E. LIM'S PAPER.

Dr. Lim's paper, though dealing mainly with Shanghai, has equal application to Hongkong and other China Coast ports. In opening his address, he intimated that in those days of rapid transportation and means of communication the control of infectious diseases, instead of being a matter of purely local significance, has become a subject of international concern. Over means of communication has resulted in bringing nations into closer contact, but this has not been without its attendant evils, as it has introduced diseases into territories in which they were formerly non-existent.

Having referred to the gradual history of such infections as cholera, plague, and cholera, and the introduction of these modern measures of control to the East, Dr. Lim observed that, while what has been accomplished, the magnitude of the problem has hitherto been generally underestimated, as the fight against disease will have to be waged on a world-wide basis if there is to be any degree of success.

QUARANTINE.

One of the first barriers against the introduction of disease is by quarantine, he said, and in that connection he traced the interesting history of this precautionary measure, the first recorded attempt to enforce maritime quarantine being in Venice, in 1448, against plague. The first Quarantine Act was passed in England in 1710. In the course of time the international questions involved have necessitated special world conventions, the latest of which was held at Paris in 1912, but is not sufficiently wide in its scope. In any case it was concerned chiefly with the West.

The need for a sanitary con-

was felt most keenly by those who have anything to do with sanitation in the East, the lecturer continued. The Government of the Dutch East Indies was the first to propose an Austral-Asiatic Quarantine Conference to be held in Batavia in 1922, and the interest of the health committee of the League of Nations was then drawn to Far Eastern health problems by Dr. Miyajima, who succeeded in getting the League to dispatch a commission to the Far East to collect information regarding the incidence of epidemic diseases.

The mission was conducted by Dr. F. Norman White, C. I. E. (formerly a medical officer in the British Ministry of Health) and the survey covered all countries of the Far East, including most of the ports.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

As a result of the survey a valuable and comprehensive report entitled "The Prevalence of Epidemic Diseases and Port Health Organization and Procedure in the Far East" was presented to the health committee of the League of Nations by Dr. White.

Among the recommendations suggested are the establishment of an Epidemiological Intelligence Bureau in Singapore for the collection and dissemination of information regarding the health conditions at the principal seaports, and the calling of a sanitary convention for the countries of the Far East.

After urging the necessity for these measures, the lecturer passed on to a consideration of the League's suggested grading—a first class port to be one with a qualified and adequate health staff, proper apparatus for fumigation of large vessels at anchor, a trained staff for capture and scrutiny of rats, suitable quarantine station for deck passengers, adequate laboratory, infectious diseases hospital, safe and adequate water supply, and requisite machinery for dealing with grave diseases. A second class port will be one without the means of fumigation or quarantine station; and a third class port will be any lacking most of the above facilities.

THE LOCAL POSITION.

Dr. Lim said his reason for drawing particular attention to this matter was the probable effect of the grading on the China Coast ports. It would be realised that in most of the places affected the minimum requisites of the League were absent. He said:

"Let us consider for the present only Hongkong and Shanghai, two of our biggest ports, to see whether either of them can be ranked as a first class port in the grading of the League. Hongkong, being a British colony and under one administration can, without very much difficulty, introduce the necessary improvements to make it a first class port. It is, therefore, unnecessary to go into any details here. In the case of Shanghai it is a different proposition. It presents a problem more difficult of solution on account of its various political and administrative units."

Continuing, Dr. Lim dealt in detail with the position in Shanghai, and pointed out that the absence of proper co-ordinated measures placed that variously administered city in the category of a third class port. However, it was imperative to have Shanghai, "the fourth biggest port in the world," graded as first class. One of the greatest drawbacks was the paucity of information on the actual health conditions of all the areas within the geographical limits of the city. The only remedy was a comprehensive international sanitary survey.

Such a survey, the lecturer pointed out, could be conducted by representatives of the International Settlement, French Settlement, Chinese City, and Customs Port Health Authority, with assistance from a League of Nations or International Health Board representative. The difficulties to be encountered, though great, would not be insur-

40 YEARS IN CHINA.

INTERESTING MEDICAL REMINISCENCES.

THE PATIENT AND THE THERMOMETER.

The opening address of the morning session of the Medical Conference to-day was of outstanding interest. The speaker was Dr. Henry McCandless, who for 40 years has been carrying on medical missionary work on the island of Hainan.

He prefaced his paper, entitled "Medical Experiences during 40 years in China," with a brief history of his field of work. He said that although as early as the beginning of the Christian era it was supposed to have been a part of the Chinese Empire there were few Chinese there, the Loi people, of Malay origin, holding most of the territory. It was about 500 years ago that people from the Fokien Province went there and drove the Loi people back to the coast and river and it became really Chinese.

Fifty years ago Mr. C. Jernisson made a survey and estimated the population at a million and a half, over a million being Chinese. The island was now a part of the Kwangtung province.

A WILY WIDOWER.

Dr. McCandless said one of his early operations was a dangerous one upon a woman and on the second night she died. The husband was disposed to make trouble so he (Dr. McCandless) had to give money for an expensive coffin and then more money to have the coffin carried 20 miles to the man's home. After he got the money the husband reconsidered, got a cheap coffin, buried it near by and with the balance bargained for a new wife.—(Laughter.)

Another case was one wherein the son of an old man died a week after an operation and the father acted like a crazy man, running up and down the streets of Hoihow calling out that the foreign doctor had killed his son. The next day a Brigadier General called with a large retinue and said how excellent it was that the foreigners should leave their honourable country and come such a long way to do good works, but they must not kill anybody.—(Laughter.)

A THERMOMETER COMEDY.

Dr. McCandless caused much amusement when he related experiences among Chinese with the thermometer. They could not see much use in it. One day he put it in a patient's mouth and he presently handed it back saying that he did not feel any better.—(Laughter.) Another patient sucked at it a moment and said he could not get the medicine out.—(Laughter.)

Cholera was among the things he had had to deal with. He worked on one man until he seemed much better, gave him directions and went in to dinner. When he returned he found that he had eaten half a water melon.—(Laughter.) The doctor scolded him and threw the other half out of the back door, but found later he had recovered it and ate it.

Sometime afterwards an official with a retinue called on him and surprised him by telling him that he was his cholera patient.—(Laughter.) Dr. McCandless' other experiences included plague. He said he had had bad cases which had completely recovered.

As his number of patients at his hospital increased he found it necessary to make a charge for those who came into hospital. The first year this system nearly closed the hospital until the patients found out that they needed help more than the missionaries needed the patients. When a patient had put down his money he was wapt to stay by you but this served well in maternity cases, giving mother and child a chance of continuous care.

A LEPER CURE.

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LAST WEEK'S WORDS.

Once again there was a big entry for the Telegraph Motor Car Competition during the week ended January 17th. Moreover, many competitors rasped credits, thus improving their chances of winning one or other of the three big prizes offered. The correct words for last week's coupons were:

January 12th.—LIMIT.
January 13th.—PAPER.
January 14th.—CAR.
January 15th.—LETTER.
January 16th.—NUMBER.
January 17th.—STOOD.

The Competition is now in its fourth week, and a fresh coupon appears on Page 4 of this issue.

This week there will be only five coupons, instead of the usual six, as there will be no issue of the Telegraph on Saturday, Chinese New Year's Day. The last coupon for this week will appear tomorrow, and all coupons for the period must reach this office not later than Wednesday, 28th instant.

LOCAL BOXING.

THE NEXT TOURNAMENT.

The next tournament arranged by the Hongkong Boxing Association will take place on the 31st instant, at the Theatre Royal, when some good sport is promised.

The main bout will be a fifteen-round contest between Marino Botta, of H. M. S. Hawkins, and Pto. Pooley, of the Surroys, for the Welterweight Championship of the Colony and the Scott Harston Belt. There will be six other contests.

HOME FOOTBALL.

CUP REPLAY.

London, Jan. 21. In the F. A. Cup replay, the Arsenal and West Ham drew, two all, after extra time.—*Reuter.*

London, Jan. 21. In the first division of the English League, Liverpool beat Aston Villa by 4 goals to one.—*Reuter.*

In the case of a girl of 17. At least they were encouraged to continue. He also spoke of the great benefits of vaccines and serums which were unknown when he first went to Hainan, and which were now freely used.

In 40 years of missionary work in Hainan, there had been 67 missionaries there. Thirty were now there; eleven had been transferred to the mainland; seventeen had retired and nine had died. On account of the warm humid climate, which made recovery from serious illness difficult, missionaries now had a year at home after five years of service.

Three things he considered necessary for China were, a new spring of action which could come only through constructive religion; a new discipline through effective government; the kind of philanthropy which was the outgrowth of Christianity.

In conclusion he spoke of how seriously the work in Hainan was affected by the outrages of bandits. "Some of their outlying stations had had to be closed down. He himself with his wife and daughter had been held up by them, but he recalled an instance where one of his evangelical helpers had been captured but when the bandit chief heard who he was he ordered his release together with eight others, telling his subordinate he must not molest the Christians from Hoihow."

Was it not, then, that the Christians from Hoihow were the only ones who were not molested by the bandits?—*Reuter.*

AMATEUR RADIO.

MACAO MAN'S CONTINUED SUCCESS.

Further successes in the reception of radio messages from the United States and Australasia have been registered by Mr. Joaquim da Rocha Savaira, a Macao amateur, who writes us as follows:—

"In my letter to you on January 8th, I stated that for the picking up of Australian and New Zealand amateurs good conditions of weather were not necessary. I now have to report what, perhaps, my most interesting experience in reception, which took place on Sunday, the 18th instant, when I was very much troubled with static. For eliminating this, I disconnected the aerial and earth leads for a quieter reception and, to my great delight, I picked up two American amateurs, namely, "6 CGW" and "6 AWT"—the first at 8.15 p.m., calling "2 V," an Australian amateur, and the second at 8.13 p.m., calling "O 9," in Australia, on a short wave.

It is especially to be noted that, thinking my primary coil still served as collective agency for the waves, I took it from my tuner and I continued to hear these two amateurs 8,000 miles distant. This exceptional reception was witnessed by two of my friends, Reinaldo Esteves and Adao Marinho, who were present at the time."

THE SOVIET AND AMERICA.

M. CHICHERIN'S VIEWS.

Moscow, Jan. 21. M. Chicherin, interviewed by pressmen with regard to the retirement of Mr. Hughes, alleged that the refusal by the United States to resume relations with Russia was primarily the personal act of Mr. Hughes, who is inspired by blind hatred of the Soviet Union. He said he hoped Mr. Kellogg's active participation in American industry would react fruitfully on his future operations, for it was imperative that the Chinese wall erected by Mr. Hughes between America and Russia should be pulled down.

Referring to reports of President Coolidge's intention to summon an international disarmament conference, M. Chicherin pointed out that its realisation would be impossible without the participation of Russia.

He hoped American capital would be used to develop the resources of Soviet Russia in return for concessions. He emphasised that Russia and America were face-to-face across the Pacific Ocean, but it was impossible any longer to limit American policy to Pacific Ocean problems.

The United States could not adopt an ostrichlike policy towards a country embracing half of Asia.—*Reuter.*

Washington, Jan. 21. The terms of the resolution carried in the Senate requesting the President to call a Disarmament Conference, lays down that the conference be held at Washington, charged with the duty of securing international agreement and an effectual reduction of sea and land armaments to relieve the nations of unnecessary expenditures for the provision of armaments and the preparation of war.—*Reuter's American Service.*

AUSTRALIAN STRIKE.

BETTER NEWS.

Melbourne, Jan. 21. Following the management of the Seamen's Union recommending various State branches to man ships affected by the strike, the Melbourne and New Zealand branches of the Union have agreed to man the ship "The Ad-

CHINESE FOOD.

MEDICAL CONFERENCE DISCUSSION.

A DEFICIENCY OF VITAMINES.

The growth of Chinese children and their food was the subject of an interesting paper, prepared by Dr. John Hammond, of Peking and read before the Physiology Section of the Medical Conference this morning.

Dr. Guy, of Peking, who read the paper, explained that the observations were all made at a school for poor children, the main conclusion being that Chinese children were normally below the American height-weight standard. The average Chinese food was extremely low in protein—much lower than the normal diets of European countries.

Dr. H. G. Earle thought that the Chinese as a race had effected a great economy in diet and it did not mean that because they were under weight and under height as compared with the standards of other countries, that they were any the worse off. The majority of Westerners ate far too much, although the Chinese thought that to be fat was a sign of success. He was sure it was not.

Dr. Read thought that north China was a rich field for experiment, unequalled in any part of the world. The conditions were such as could not be produced anywhere else. From September to March they had a vast population living on a diet which he was convinced lacked vitamins. He was sure that the vitamin content of the winter diet was inadequate, although that did not alter the fact that the people possibly had a reserve of vitamins stored up out of their summer diet. He thought, however that if the winter food contained more vitamins, the people would not just simply give up when famines came along but would be able to take up the problems for themselves.

Dr. Lim thought that the question of vitamins had been overdone. If they looked along any street and saw the condition of the poorer people, it was a marvel how they kept fit. The question of vitamins had been overdone because they were inclined to forget the essential nature of them and that only a small quantity sufficed.

Dr. Read said that whilst it might be true that the city children got an adequate diet, he was fully convinced that the countryside children did not. He had evidence that right through the winter months the poorer people of north China suffered from a deficiency of vitamins in their diet.

ENTERTAINMENT TO "ALL BLACKS."

REPRESENTATIVE GATHERING.

London, Jan. 21. The most representative body of British sportsmen on record gathered at a luncheon in the Piccadilly Hotel in honour of the "All Blacks" and New Zealand. Lord Desborough presided, and the Prince of Wales was a guest. The company numbered three hundred, including a score of peers and many other distinguished persons, also the members of the English fifteen, the president of the Scottish Rugby Union, representatives of "soccer" football, the boxer Jimmy Wilde and the jockey Steve Donoghue.

The Prince of Wales toasted the "All Blacks" and presented them with a loving cup, subscribed to by New Zealanders in London. He charmed them to tell the people "down under" that, although the Old Country had temporarily lost the knack of winning, she did not intend to make a habit of it.

After the luncheon the "All Blacks" were photographed with the Prince of Wales, who presented them with a silver bowl, a gift from the sportsmen of Britain.—*Reuter.*

MORRISON HILL.

THE DELAY IN DEMOLITION.

Regarding the delay in the demolition of Morrison Hill in connection with the Praya East reclamation scheme, we are informed that this is due to the presence of a much larger quantity of granite than was anticipated by the contractor when he entered into the agreement with the Government. The hill has to be quarried piece-meal and progress under the circumstances is very slow. The work has called for the very frequent use of dynamite to dislodge the rock, which is deeply embedded into the hill.

Hitherto no extension of the time has been given to the contractor, beyond, on account of the general strike, a concession of three months over the stipulated time. The reclamation work, as the agreement now stands, is due for completion on the 31st January, 1928.

GENEVA PROTOCOL.

BRITISH CABINET DISCUSSION.

London, Jan. 21. The Cabinet has discussed the Geneva protocol.

Antho the proposed Empire Conference on the subject has been abandoned, the Cabinet itself will deal with the matter, consulting the Dominions telegraphically.—*Reuter.*

Paris, Jan. 21.

In the Chamber, during a debate on foreign affairs, replying to the Communist, M. Cachin, who asserted that the Geneva Protocol was dead, M. Herriot declared that he was unable to understand why anyone would attempt to discredit the most sincere peace effort French democracy had ever made. He added that the protocol had the people's support.—*Reuter.*

U.S. AND WORLD ARMAMENT.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE MOOTED.

Washington, Jan. 21. The Senate has accepted an amendment to the Naval Appropriations Bill, requesting the President to call another arms conference, notwithstanding Mr. Coolidge's recent intimation that the time was not ripe for such a conference.

The supporters of the administration did not oppose the motion. No light on the development is forthcoming from the Whitehouse or State Department.

The Senate has also adopted a motion calling on Mr. Hughes to produce a copy of the Paris agreement, together with such information as is necessary for a full understanding of its terms.—*Reuter's American Service.*

CRICKET IN SOUTH AFRICA.

EASY WIN FOR TOURISTS.

Worcester, Cape Province, Jan. 21.

Mr. Joel's eleven beat the Country Districts eleven by an innings and six runs. The Districts compiled 113, Garry taking 6 for 40. The visitors scored 251 (Tydesley 92, and Jameson 64). Garry taking 5 for 77. The Districts replied with 132 (Noelting 64) Garry taking 4 for 41 and Kennedy 4 for 31.—*Reuter.*

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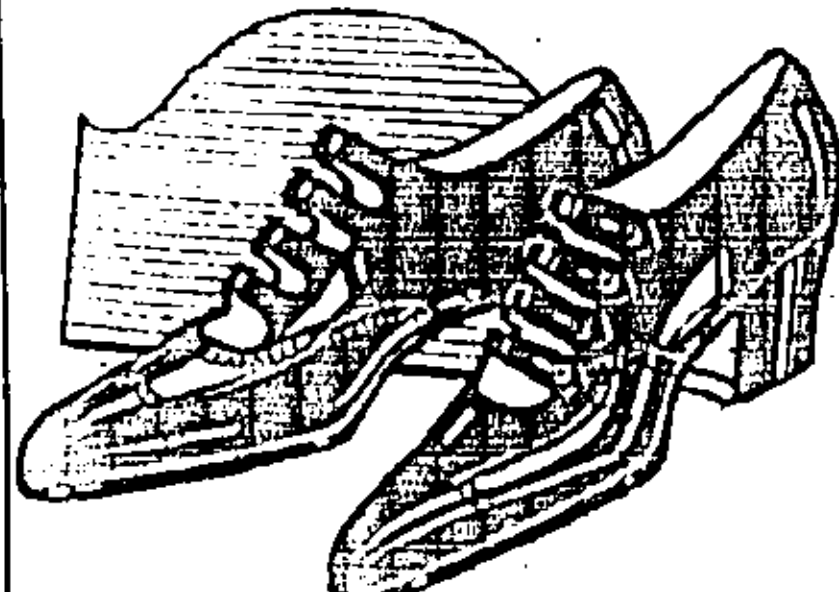
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THE NORTHERN WAR.

RIVER STEAMER SHELLED.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, January 21.
Troops stationed at Woosung
fired on the small
Chinese river steamer Tatch of
the Tadah Steamship Company
when the vessel was entering the
Yangtze river en route to Nan-
tungchow.

The vessel had disregarded the
signal to heave to but when she
was struck by a shell the Cap-
tain beached his vessel. The
soldiers forced the passengers to
go ashore but they were not
molested. Later the passengers
were allowed to return aboard
after the soldiers had decided
against embarking on the vessel
which was slightly damaged.

It is reported that Chi Hsieh-
yuan's forces control the railway
as far as Changchow and an area
north of the Yangtze. A retreat
to the vicinity of Wushih is ex-
pected, where a battle is expected
to take place.

Sun Chuan-fang is holding
aloof, but 5,000 of his troops
have been dispatched from
Shanghai into the fighting area.
The Settlement authorities are
prepared to admit and disarm
or intern or deport additional
defeated troops if there is a case
of emergency. Wushih and other
nearby towns have been utterly
wrecked by looters.

Two More Shiports to Go.

Tsingtao, January 21.—Four
thousand ex-soldiers from Shang-
hai, who arrived to-day aboard the
steamer Talma, were immediately
loaded into standing trains and
shipped to Tsinan, whence they
will disperse to their homes. They
were given two dollars each and
food here. Their behaviour was
excellent. Six British and sixty
Sikh police officers accompanying
the men experienced not the
slightest trouble. The policemen
are returning to Shanghai to-night.
Two foreign ships, carrying more
repatriated provincials, are ex-
pected to-morrow.

Two Japanese destroyers arrived
to-day at noon from Shanghai.
Although no untoward occurrence
is anticipated, the return of thou-
sands of war veterans is now
viewed as a grave matter. No em-
ployment awaits them, and it is
feared many will turn bandits.—
Reuter.

American Destroyers Still at
Manila.

Manila, Jan. 21.—The forty-
third and forty-fifth destroyer
divisions and the submarines were
still here this morning, and will
not leave unless the situation
gets worse.—Reuter.

STREET SLEEPERS.

CENSUS-TAKING FINISHED.

The first step in connection with
the problem of providing relief for
the street sleepers has been accom-
plished. When the question of
relief was first brought up, the
Secretary for Chinese Affairs sug-
gested as a preliminary step that
an estimate of the homeless popula-
tion be first obtained. This was
accordingly done, the work being
assigned to the district watchmen.
The investigations have been com-
pleted, the result showing that
Hongkong has approximately 3,300
street sleepers.

It is hoped that, now an estimate
has been obtained, the Government
will expedite its plans so that
something can be done for the
homeless before the cold season is
over.

CONSUMPTION CURES
CLAIMED.DR. LIM BOON-KENG'S
STARTLING SUCCESSES.

Meat juice of carnivorous
animals and a little of the Coute
system of healing by faith were
some of the startling things men-
tioned by Mr. Lim Boon-keng
yesterday as practical cures for
the dreaded white plague. He
added that the blood juice of
dogs had, in his experience,
proved most effective.

These statements were made in
a paper he read before the
general medicine section of the
Medical Conference yesterday
afternoon, his title being "Clini-
cal observations on tuberculosis
among the Chinese." He gave
facts regarding some wonderful
cures but when asked by a
humourist whether after catalep-
sy scares they need now fear
"dogalapsy" gave no direct
answer.

In his paper, Dr. Lim said his
object was to call attention to
the clinical aspects of tuber-
culosis because in these days
they were in urgent need of close
co-operation between scientists
in the laboratory and the every-
day practitioner. There was un-
doubtedly a large prevalence of
tuberculosis in all its forms in
the cities along the China coast
and he should base his remarks
on his own experience, gained in
25 years. So far as curability
was concerned he remarked that
30 years ago phthisis was con-
sidered to be practically incur-
able by the practitioner but in
recent years they had found that
a cure was not very difficult to
obtain. This was proved by a
study of hospital statistics, al-
though he admitted that it was
difficult to arrange for any
course of proper treatment at
home where the Chinese were
concerned. Drug treatment, he
said, played a very secondary
role in any modern system of
treatment.

Success of any treatment de-
pended largely on early diagnosis
and a vital point for the ordinary
practitioner was the protection
of children from consumptive
parents. In this latter matter
of course much could be done by
educational work.

Not Hereditary.

Dr. Lim went on to state that
there was no evidence to prove
conclusively that the disease was
hereditary but the only way to
safeguard children was to insist
on their removal from the home
or their isolation from their
infected parents. He spoke of
the rarity of skin tuberculosis.
In the majority of phthisis cases
the first appearance generally
occurred after bronchitis or an
ordinary cold, after pleurisy and
generally about the period of
adolescence or at the beginning
of adult life.

In the country districts where
labour was mainly out of doors
the disease was not over-pre-
valent. But in tropical cities
where the poorly paid workers
were crowded together in dark
and insanitary cubicles the in-
cidence of the disease was very
high. It was something of a dis-
grace that such conditions exist-
ed in flourishing cities.

Passing to treatment Dr. Lim
had many things of great in-
terest to say. Dealing with the
methods he had adopted during
his 25 years' practice he called
attention to those which had
given best results. At one time
he remarked that there was great
fear expressed in using tubercu-
lin but in the last seven years
it had given good results,
especially when the treatment
was commenced with minimum
doses. He had found drugs al-
most useless with the two ex-
ceptions of creosote and cod-



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liver oil. To these he attributed
many good results in the past.
He also dwelt on the importance
of getting a patient to believe
in the treatment given, stating
that the psychological effect of
faith in the treatment was a
great factor when dealing with
such a chronic disease.

The Carnivore Cure.

He then made the interesting
announcement that carnivorous
animals were much less liable to
tubercular infection than other
animals and in the feeding of
tubercular patients it had been
found that meat juice of carni-
vorous animals was very bene-
ficial. He instanced dog meat as
perhaps the most easily procured
of any carnivores.

Clinicians had found that the
blood of such animals gave very
good results. He related an
instance of where a young man
in a quite advanced stage of the
disease had been fed on juice
extract from dog flesh and that
after only ten days of this treat-
ment had felt great relief. The
patient steadily improved and in
a short time had increased his
weight by 13 lbs. and had start-
ed to get about as usual. He
had since written to the lecturer
saying, "I have been resurrected
from the dead." (Laughter).

Dr. Lim admitted that in addi-
tion to this treatment he had
continued administering creosote
which the patient had previously
relied on without such good re-
sults.

In matters like this the practi-
tioner needed the assistance of
men in the laboratory, for he need-
ed knowledge on the matter. The
cure may have been a coincidence
but there was probably a lot to
be learned from the use of meat
juices of carnivorous animals
and experiments in the laboratory
were needed to test the efficacy
of the treatment.

He said that as a young man
straight from a Scottish Univer-
sity he had been inclined to laugh
at Chinese methods of treatment
but his clinical experience showed
that gelatine, shark fins and bird
nest soup such as the Chinese had

used for generations gave extreme-
ly good results. In these matters
also they needed men to do
research work.

Another Cure.

Questions were invited and one
delegate asked whether the blood
juice of a pig would be of as much
use as that of a dog.

Dr. Parry questioned whether
the blood of carnivores or drugs
were of any use whatever in
treating the disease because he
thought that treatment in a san-
atorium with absolute rest and pro-
per diet was the only method
known to give good results. Treat-
ment of the disease was largely a
matter of education.

One questioner caused roars
of laughter when he said that hav-
ing previously heard of catalepsy
would Dr. Lim suggest that they
might now hear of "dogalepsy".

In replying to the discussion Dr.
Lim said that many years ago he
saw in a hundred veterinary work
that the dog was the least liable
of domestic animals to suffer
from tubercular disease, and it
led him to think that there was
something in the constitution of
a dog which gave great natural
resistance. He found any raw
meat juice particularly useful but
the raw meat juice of a dog was,
he thought, of the greatest use.
One of his first patients treated
with it was from the Hakka coun-
try where they regularly ate dogs
(laughter) and when it was sug-
gested that he should take the
juice raw instead of cooked he
naturally was reluctant but when
persuaded to try it he made
a very good recovery and for 15
years afterwards managed to live
fairly comfortably. Dr. Lim
agreed regarding the value of
sanatorium treatment and answer-
ing the "dogalepsy" question said
of course the medical man had to
take the utmost care that the dogs
were free from worms and other
serious ailments. They must
be healthy?

Dr. Lim was loudly applauded
for his very interesting paper.

CHINESE CHARACTERISTICS.

In the anthropology section the
afternoon was mainly taken up
with a symposium on racial
characteristics. The first paper
was read by Dr. McCloy, of Nan-
king, who at the outset of his
paper regarding "Weight Stan-
dards for the Individual" stated
that other racial statistics of the
whole were unsatisfactory and
unreliable when applied to Chin-
ese. He gave a tremendous num-
ber of statistics regarding ob-
servations he had carried out in
his neighbourhood and which
showed the Chinese in the north
to be of less average stature and
weight than was the case among
Americans. However, he did not
consider this difference due to
malnutrition of the Chinese. He
could not believe that a nation
which had eaten the same kinds
of food for generations and still
retained its virility, fertility and
resistance to disease as the Chin-
ese had could be under-nourished.

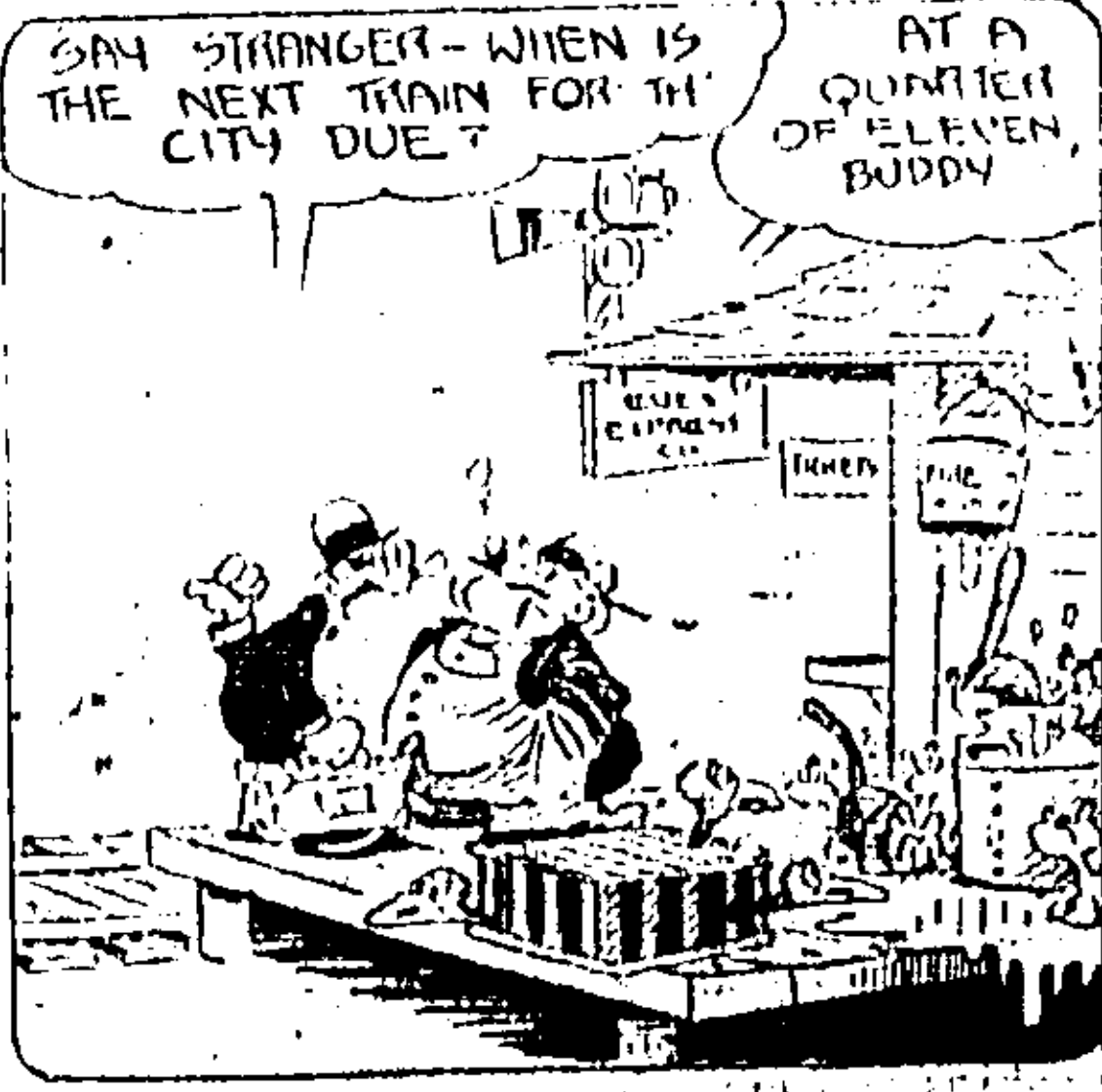
Mr. Noel Keys of the Canton
Christian College read a paper
concerning age weight and height
study of Cantonese boys and his
observations went to prove that
the average there was in the main
above the Northern Chinese and
a little below the American. How-
ever this could not be taken as
typical of the Cantonese generally
for the students that had been un-
der observation were the children
of the better class parents in
Canton, mainly the well-to-do mer-
chant class.

Another paper of great interest
was one by Mr. A. E. Dome of
Hongkong, whose statistics fol-
lowed to study based on 3000 ob-
servations from the Hongkong schools.
He said that in the main he found
the Chinese boy in athletics a
healthy and strong young animal,
although of less stature and
weight than Americans. He drew
interesting comparisons between
the Chinese, Filipinos and Ameri-
cans and proved that at various
above the Filipino and sometimes
below.

SALESMAN SAM



Wise Guy Sam

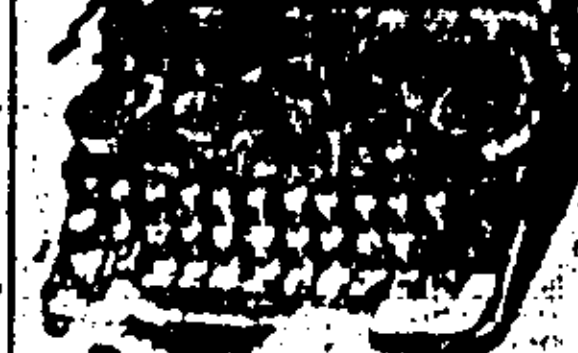


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SIR PATRICK MANSON

HIS WORK IN CHINA

Yesterday evening at the Cathedral Hall Dr. Lim Boon-Keng of Amoy University gave a popular lecture on the late Sir Patrick Manson and his work for Tropical Medicine.

He said Sir Patrick was a man of many parts whom kings delighted to honour and whose brilliant genius conferred countless benefits upon his fellowmen. He was like Pasteur and Lister whose visions had illuminated whole realms of thought. His name had shed an imperishable lustre on the famous British School of Medicine.

He was an Aberdonian Scot, born in 1844, and went to Formosa and Amoy in 1871 where he acted as Medical Officer to the Chinese Customs. He taught his Chinese assistants to read English even and was the first in China to acquaint the Chinese to the use of the microscope.

His assistants in Amoy carried on Medical practice and did much to break down prejudice against Western Medicine.

When Manson left China he had already established a reputation as a scientific physician. His great qualities endeared him to the Chinese people and he had a wonderful power of inspiring the young.

Mourning the World Over.

It was typical that he hardly thought of himself or his interests but his mind being concerned with the object of his inquiries. He was patient and fastidious and his advice an infinite help to co-workers. Without Manson's clear vision the problem of the mosquito carrier could not have been so readily solved. He was philosopher enough to find solace in the ancient art of angling, human enough to enjoy a glass of port and liked his pipe. His loss at the age of 77 was mourned by a host of friends and the medical profession the world over.

Manson was an ideal physician and was keen to search all things to explain the obscure. Fifty years ago almost nothing definite was known about fearful tropical diseases which seemed a perpetual bar to the entrance of Europeans

to these regions. Manson in Hongkong became active in establishing a Dairy Farm and with our modern knowledge of vitamins we can better appreciate that service. Realising the need of an institution to co-ordinate the work of isolated workers he was able with the assistance of Joseph Chamberlain to establish the London School of Tropical Medicine, which with the Liverpool School revolutionised knowledge of tropical diseases.

A Memorial Needed.

Lim Boon Keng next dealt on Manson's services in connection with malaria and reminded his hearers that the researches of Sir Ronald Ross had confirmed Manson's intuitive interpretation. Sir Patrick was a great administrator and in admiration of the man and his work a few people in Amoy, prompted by the speaker, had concluded that there should be a memorial in Amoy to him, who had done so much for science in that isolated port. His work in China should certainly be commemorated. It was a sad fact that the Chinese Hospital in which Manson worked was closed down a few years ago. There were other hospitals but the one which British pioneers started was permitted to decay through want of a little support. There was a splendid opportunity to restore the lost prestige. Through the munificence of Mr. Tan Kah Kee, of Singapore, the University of Amoy was founded three and a half years ago. It had faculties of arts and science. If a medical research institute be made a part of the Manson Memorial the University could house the institute if the funds collected did not suffice to erect a special building.

British Prestige.

The old hospital should be rebuilt, and he believed the Chinese would heartily co-operate. In any event he hoped his hearers would assist in collecting funds for the Manson Memorial. Would not some merchant magnates who loved Manson's memory show the way? Amoy was inseparably connected with the fame of Manson. It is still a hotbed of infections, and the British should help to build a Manson Institute even if only for the sake of British trade and prestige. The British public

THE THIRD TEST MATCH.

AUSTRALIA'S TAIL GOES LIMP.

Adelaide, January 21.—Rain began to fall at 5 o'clock this morning, but cleared up shortly before noon, and the start of the match was delayed until 12.45. The state of the wicket assisted the bowlers.

scores:

Australia.—First Innings 485.
England.—First Innings 365.

Australia.—Second Innings:

Collins, b Freeman	26
A. Richardson, c Kilner, b Woolley	14
Ryder, c and b Woolley	88
Taylor, b Freeman	34
Ponsford, c Hendren, b Kilner	43
Andrews, c Whysall, b Kilner	1
Richardson, c Tate, b Woolley	0
Kelleway, not out	22
Gregory, c Hendren, b Woolley	2
Oldfield, b Kilner	4
Malley, c Sutcliffe, b Kilner	5
Extras	11
Total	280

Bowling: Tate, none for 17; Freeman, 2 for 94; Kilner, 4 for 51; Woolley, 4 for 77.

England Second Innings:

Hobbs, c Collins, b A. Richardson	27
Sutcliffe, not out	66
Woolley, b Kelleway	21
Hendren, l.b.w., b Kelleway	4
Whysall, not out	22
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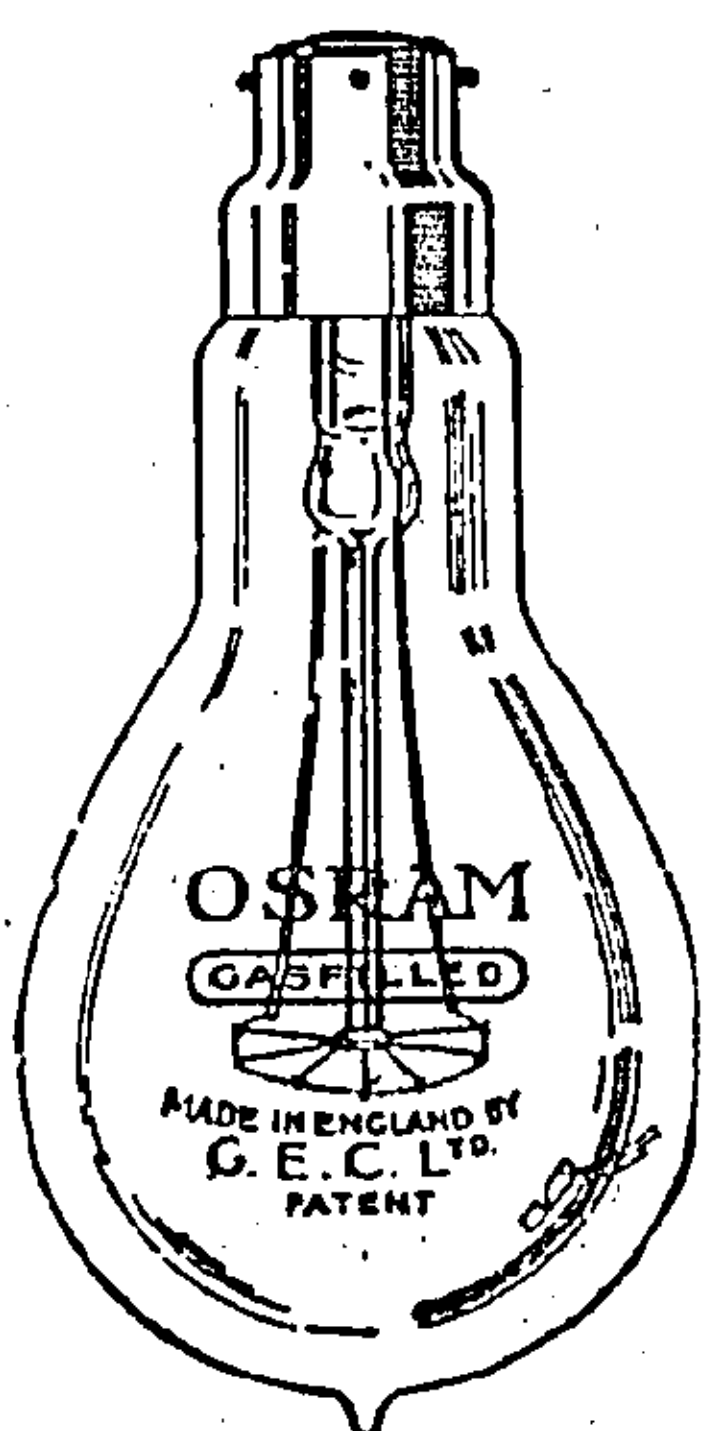
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The annual subscription to the Society is \$5 and any persons interested in Horticulture and desiring to become members should communicate with the Hon. Secretary—Mr. E.B.C. HORNELL c/o Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd.

G. 2223 R.
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HAROLD T. CREASY.
Water Authority,
Public Works Department,
Hongkong, 21st. January, 1925.

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HONGKONG, 19th Jan. 1925.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 23rd to 30th Jan. 1925, both dates inclusive.

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Hongkong, 9th January, 1925.

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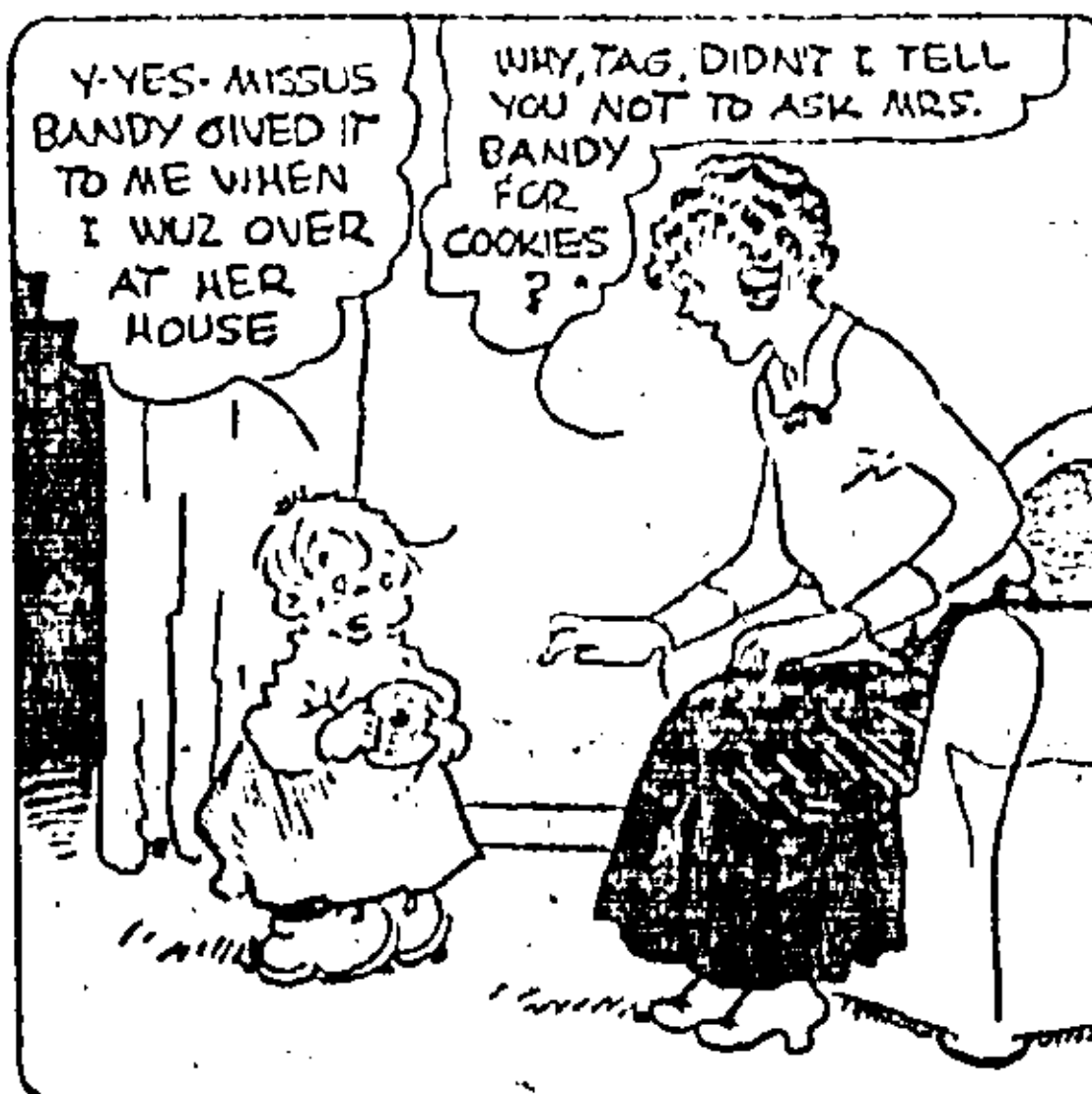
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A STRIKING LESSON IN
CO-OPERATION.

There is, besides the ordinary gratification in learning of the pirate nests at Bias Bay being cleared out, a feeling of satisfaction that the Chinese authorities in the district have demonstrated how easily they can co-operate with the British Government here when they want to. Hitherto the desperadoes who infest the Kwangtung coastal region have been secure in the knowledge that they need not fear arrest, such attempts as have been made to bring them to book having been half-hearted in the extreme, and a reflection of incompetence on the part of those entrusted with the task. Often, it is to be feared, the attitude adopted was one of "maskee," even when a good opportunity presented itself. No doubt fairly confident of their immunity, the pirates connected with the Hong Hwa affair returned to their homes last week and proceeded with their ordinary avocations for a spell. If the men who have been rounded up are members of the gang in question, it can easily be seen that they were for the most part taken by surprise. The immediate action on the part of the authorities must have been something new to them. This was largely due to the excellent preliminary arrangements of the Hongkong authorities, who are to be congratulated on the distinct success of their effort, but without the ready assistance of the Chinese commander all this Colony could have done would have been to make a futile protest.

The lesson of these operations is, the happy effect of the Hongkong Government and the Chinese administration on the mainland working together in the interests of law and order. It shows what can be done in the way of suppressing criminals of all kinds who operate against this Colony with a haven of refuge at their back. It is a practical illustration of that co-operation of which Dr. Sun Yat-sen has, in the past, had so much to say. But it has been due to the very man whom Dr. Sun and his followers have denounced as working against the interests of the province—General Chan Kwing-ming. Observers will see in this fact a peculiarly interesting significance.

Agitators.

The Diplomatic Corps in Peking has come to a wise decision in resolving not to permit military agitations in the International Settlement or the French Concession in Shanghai, the consuls at the latter place being instructed accordingly. We presume this means that sanctuary will not be given to Chinese militarists unless they refrain from political or military activity of any kind. Such a step as this has long been needed. In Shanghai, the foreign settlement has without the least shadow of doubt been made the plotting ground by many Chinese agitators, and we imagine the same is true of many other Treaty Ports in China. Even in Hongkong there has, in the past, been far too much of this sort of thing. We know the difficulties of detecting agitators in their work, but it should be made clear to all Chinese political leaders that they cannot hope for asylum in foreign ports or settlements unless they are content to remain inactive. Hospitality has in days gone by been abominably abused, with harmful consequences to the localities concerned. Unless a stop is put to these things, not only will plotting be prohibited, but political leaders who are known to have any considerable following will have to be shut out of such places altogether. As fish cannot be made of one, and fowl of another, the only just course, if matters do not improve, will be to keep out all military or political chiefs.

The Latest Conspiracy.

It is some time since the public were shocked by the murder of a prominent General in a London West-end square, by Irish malcontents. Somehow one does not associate assassination with the national character, and while the average Briton is prepared to accept news of such events in other places he is surprised to find occasionally that similar crimes can happen in his own domain. After the Irish troubles had more or less quietened down, there came a long spell of immunity from serious threat of disorder in the homeland, so that the comparatively recent affair in which Cabinet Ministers were said to be threatened with assassination came as a rude awakening to the realities of current events and of the changes in our social system which are having such grave reactions. Hardly is that over when there is unearthed a plot to blow up British warships, in which apparently a fairly formidable group of conspirators are engaged. It is doubtful whether this latest plot is really very serious, so far as potential success is concerned; but even then it shows the trend of unrest among certain sections of the population, and as such forms a disquieting reminder that the forces of disorder are growing apace.

WATERFRONT ITEMS.

OVERDUE BOAT SAFE.

The steamer *Passat*, Captain Danielson, left this port on the 3rd inst. for Dalny, and was so long overdue that shipping people here in Hongkong feared she was lost. But Messrs. Karsten, Larsen & Co., a local shipping firm, received a telegram yesterday that she arrived three days ago at Dalny. We do not know yet what had detained her.

The steamer *Livingstone*, Captain F. Anda, arrived yesterday from Bangkok, and had a rough passage up here, with rainy and misty weather.

The Messageries Maritime liner *Chantilly*, Captain C. Min, arrived yesterday from Tourane, and had fresh monsoon coming up. She is now discharging cargo at the Kowloon wharves.

The coaster *Dux*, Captain R. Hannevig, arrived this morning from Bangkok, and also had rough weather coming up.

The B. I. liner *Tiwila* arrived this morning from Singapore and had very strong monsoon from the Paracels.

The various river boats trading between Kowloon, Wuchow, Canton and this port are now all lying up for the Chinese New Year, and very few of them will leave Hongkong before Tuesday next. Consequently communications will be more or less interrupted, as the telegraph service between Hongkong and those places can no longer be depended upon.

The well known coaster *Trafalgar*, owned by Messrs. W. Wilhelmson, of Tonsberg, Norway, and whose master is Captain A. Stenholdt, has been sold to the San Peh S. S. Co. of Shanghai, who intend using her in the Shanghai-Hongkong-Saigon and Bangkok trade.

DAY BY DAY.

MAN BELIEVES HIMSELF ALWAYS GREATER THAN HE IS, AND IS ESTEEMED LESS THAN HE IS WORTH.—Goethe.

A Reuter's Peking telegram says a Mandate orders the arrest of Chi Hsieh-yuan.

Yesterday's health return shows two cases of typhoid and one of diphtheria. All three sufferers were Chinese.

The Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, Ltd., is paying a final dividend for the year 1924 of \$1, together with a bonus of \$1, making \$3 in all for the year.

The Admiral Oriental liner President Jackson is due from Seattle via Yokohama, Kobe and Shanghai on February 23rd and will sail for Manila at 5 p.m. February 26th, instead of on February 25th as originally scheduled.

In the Supreme Court this morning, before the Chief Justice, Mr. Easley Zeilyn on behalf of the Chung Moo Garage Company applied for leave to file a return of allotments out of time and for relief from penalties. The application was granted.

To-morrow's *Telegraph* will contain all the features usually included in our Saturday edition—"Bulls and Bears," the Motor Supplement, the Feature Section, and a page of local pictures, including several scenes from the A. D. C.'s production of "Saint Joan."

We hear that General Hung San-lin, the commander of a branch of Chang King-ming's army, who was in charge of the raid so successfully conducted on the pirates who were responsible for the Hong Wha outrage, is the same officer who only two months ago very narrowly escaped assassination at Kowloon City, when a bomb was thrown into his room, but which failed to explode.

At the Shanghai Mixed Court last week, before Mr. Ramondino (Italian Assessor) and Mr. Zau (Chinese Magistrate), six Chinese, including two clerks of the Shanghai Race Club, were given terms of imprisonment ranging from six months to a year, for being concerned together in the forgery of a number of the Club's Champions tickets and in falsely obtaining money from the club as a result of the same.

At mid-night on Wednesday last week a desperate attempt to break out of prison was made by five Chinese in a cell at Yangtzepoo police station, where they were awaiting trial for armed robberies. Police-Sgt. Watson was making the usual round of the cells at this hour and on entering the cell in question was attacked by the men, who had possessed themselves of iron bars. Sgt. Nesling came to his comrades' assistance, and the prisoners were overpowered after a desperate struggle. Both police officers received minor injuries.

BOGUS OFFICIAL?

UMBRELLA-MAKER IN
TROUBLE.

Representing himself to be an official of the Sanitary Department, an umbrella-maker is being charged with attempting to obtain the sum of \$10 from an inmate of No. 108, Tai Nam Street, with intent to defraud.

On appearing before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, defendant denied the charge brought against him and said that it was a simple matter for witnesses of the prosecution to give corroborative evidence, as they were all relatives and resided at the same address.

The evidence for the prosecution was that the defendant called at the house yesterday and said that in view of a woman's death, which took place some time previously, the premises would have to be cleansed. On payment of \$10, he would not however send the sanitary coolies to the house. The complainant left the defendant with the other inmates of the house and went to a clerk at the Sanitary Department, who, on arrival, demanded from the defendant his certificate authorising him to cleanse the house. He failed to produce it and was later arrested.

After further evidence the case was adjourned.

FOOTBALL NOTES.

CHANCES IN THE
INTERPORT.

[BY "WANDERER".]

Shanghai would appear to have a penchant for postponing their Interport football matches, but nevertheless their representatives will be warmly welcomed when they arrive on the "Empress of Australia" on Sunday. The team will include six of the players who assisted Shanghai to carry off the *Telegraph* Cup a year ago and no doubt they will be all out to retain the trophy. The redoubtable Coulcher, partnered by one of the brothers Johansson, will be out to cause Leung Yuk-tong and Wynne trouble, and Goldman again leads the line. Phillips, who played right half last season, will be the pivot of the team on Monday.

Old residents would have liked to have seen Jimmy Quayle and Terry Wilson (cricket-interporters) down here again, but it is to be presumed that they were unable to get away in view of their visit to the Colony in November.

On the principle that a prophet is no prophet in his own country, the fact that we are to field an extremely capable side goes unrecognized by the sceptics and I heard a Hongkongite offering bets against Hongkong's chances after the practice match last Saturday. He was willing to take evens and give the draw in, and I was pleased to see someone take him. There is little doubt that Hongkong's chances are rosy. We have a goal-scoring forward line, a trio of half-backs sound in defence and attack, two backs who don't overkick their forwards, and a goal-keeper of outstanding merit. It was admitted on all hands that Hongkong should have won their first match with Shanghai last season, and if our eleven on Monday is not at least the equal of last season's side, well I'm a Dutchman. May the best team win.

South China Athletic naturally enough have picked their "A" side to meet Shanghai, but I doubt their ability to win. Regarding the Services match, it is difficult to judge. The team picked is certainly a good one, and, after having played two matches, Shanghai will naturally be at some disadvantage.

Complete fixtures and teams are appended:—
Shanghai v. Hongkong, Monday, at 3.45 p.m.; Shanghai v. South China, Wednesday, at 4.15 p.m.; and Shanghai v. Services on Thursday, at 4.15 p.m.

The teams will be: Shanghai.—Romelios; Turner and Ewing; Tordy, Phillips and Gowan; Johansson, Collico, Goldman, Coulcher and Johansson. Reserves.—Moosa and Evans.
Hongkong.—A. E. Clarke; Wynne and Bishop; Leung Yuk-tong, McKelvie (Captain) and Bristowe; Charlesworth, Eaton, Humberstone, Lai Wai-tong and Mackleworth. Reserves.—J. Stewart, Wheeler and Brown.

South China.—Hui Shing-ii; Lai Yuk-tat and Cheung Wing-shing; Leung Yuk-tong, Wong Shui-wa and Lam Yuk-ying; Pang Kam-wing, Suon Kam-shun, Wong Pak-chong, Lai Wai-tong and Chan Kwong-ii. Reserves.—Chan So, Ip Kau, Ng Kam-chuen and Lau Hing-cheung.
United Services.—Wavish; Grindle and Hume; Waino, Devonport and Bristowe; Harris, Eaton, Humberstone, Butler and Mackleworth. Reserves.—Doody, Reade and Smith.

The Junior Shield Competition, first round, is on the fixture list for Saturday, but so far the draw has not come to hand.

The Interport Dinner is to be held on Thursday, January 29th, at the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

PRISONER ESCAPES.

FROM NEW TERRITORY
STATION.

The various Police Stations have been notified of the escape of a prisoner from the Aukau Station, in the New Territories. The man was being held on a charge of complicity in a recent armed robbery and of being a returned banished. The means by which he made his escape is not known. He was not in his cell when it was opened at mid-night by a constable going the rounds.

CHINESE NEW YEAR.

BEGINS IN EARNEST
TO-MORROW.

The feverish preparations for the Chinese New Year not only on all sides are but the prelude to the big noises which will begin at ten-time to-morrow, when the shops will have closed, to the accompaniment of firing of long strings of crackers.

As in previous years, a set of regulations has been drawn up by the Captain Superintendent of Police restricting the firing of crackers to certain districts and within certain hours, but this will in no way diminish the ardour of the celebrations which will take a more concentrated form within the hours named. No stock laid in for the New Year festival is complete without these fireworks, and in consequence some danger of fire is to be apprehended.

The Fire Superintendent, Mr. Brooks, was asked this morning as to the extra measures that may be taken for dealing with the danger on these days.

"No extra measures will be taken beyond those taken on ordinary days," said the official. "The Brigade will, of course stand by, and there will be no leave for the men except the ordinary leave that would fall on these days for any of them."

The Superintendent says that the equipment will be kept up to the scratch in preparation for turning out at short notice. Last year was happily free from calls, but there is no knowing what may happen this year. In any case, the Brigade will take no chances, and every man will be on duty as usual.

Another Government branch that will be kept very busy is the Police Department. The occurrence of armed robberies has come to be an almost inevitable part of the New Year celebrations. Whilst very probably minor offences may be overlooked by the law on these days, so as not to crowd the cells with inmates who prefer to spend New Year outside, attention will be in particular directed to the prevention of serious outbreaks of crime, and, like the firemen, the detective staff will be kept very much engaged. Looking through the records, we find that no less than six armed robberies occurred within the three days of the celebrations last year. This year, with its increase in the number of undesirable from the mainland, may prove to be no less anxious a time for our police officers.

The New Year Fair has opened in the locality of Wingkok Street, and Bonham Strand. A collection of many stalls lines the roadway, but beyond a few containing curios and seasonal floral shows, the whole appears to be a collection of almost worthless trash, of little interest for the foreigner.

The Chinese restaurants and eating houses have had their shutters up these last few days to enable their employees to enjoy a much needed rest before engaging on the New Year business.

POSSESSION CASE.

APPEAL TO PRIVY
COUNCIL.

Application for leave to appeal to the Privy Council in the Kung Wo Restaurant possession case, was made by Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., before the Full Court this morning.

Reference was made to the fact that Section 6 of the Rents Ordinance stated that on appeal to the Full Court their decision would be final.

Mr. Alabaster submitted that if the section purported to mean that the tenants were deprived of their right of appeal then the section was *ultra vires*, if it was *ultra vires* then he would suggest that it had some other construction.

Mr. Pottor, who appeared for the other side, said that the wording showed that the Legislature did intend to take away further right of appeal. It would be necessary for the applicants to apply to the Privy Council itself for leave to appeal.

The case is proceeding.

\$5,000 BAIL.

SHIP MASTER ON OPIUM
CHARGE.

The Chinese master of the *Corf*, a small river-steamboat, is being held on a charge of being in possession of \$1,000 worth of opium.

Mr. Russ, on behalf of Mr. Hall, made an application for a remand this morning. Bail was fixed in the sum of \$5,000.

SCHOOLS PRIZES.

INTERESTING TAIKOO FUNCTION.

The welfare and betterment of the lot of the workers has always held a prominent place in the scheme of things at Taikoo Dock and Sugar Refinery, and, though it is now to most, one of the most recent projects has been the establishment of a school for the children of the Chinese employees.

When the school was opened in May last year, accommodation was provided for two hundred scholars, but so keen has been the interest that in the near future, if all demands are to be met, there will have to be further extensions. The children are taught reading, writing and arithmetic, geography, drawing, copying, ethics, hygiene, composition, letter writing and other subjects and, though little more than six months, work has been put in, progress has been highly satisfactory. The average attendance has been 155. The figures are abundant evidence of the high standard of efficiency which the school has gained in so short a time. In the third class, where the highest possible number of marks obtainable was 1,200, the lowest tally gained was 724.

In the evening, classes for apprentices are held and technical instruction is given. The classes are required to attend four times weekly and there are very few absentees out of the two hundred and eight boys who have joined.

First Prize Day.

Yesterday was the school's first prize day and Mrs. J. Reid, wife of Taikoo's popular manager, very kindly consented to distribute the awards. Mr. G. M. Young took the chair, and there were also present, Mr. E. Ralphs, Mr. G. P. de Martin, Mr. H. C. Reaker, Mr. H. K. Li, and others.

Mr. Young said he was very pleased to see such a splendid gathering, and mentioned that the school was started by the Firm as part of their welfare scheme. It was open to all children of employees in the Taikoo Dockyards and the Taikoo Sugar Refinery, the entire cost being borne by the firm. The work done by the pupils had earned the commendation of the examiners but even better results might be confidently looked forward to when they had a whole year's work to report on.

Mrs. Reid presented the prizes as follows:

Class III.—1, Ki Shui-chung; 2, Li Back-foo; 3, Yu Chi-lun; 4, Wong Sum-chuen; 5, Wong Mok-yau.

Class II.—1, Ng Yun-pan; 2, Hong Shue; 3, Chan Tai-kow; 4, Chan Tim-wing; 5, Chan Cheuk-wah.

Class I.—1, Tong Shue-kwan; 2, Cheng Shui-fai; 3, Tang Yau; 4, Tang Yau-ang; 5, Yu Siu-cheo.

Class Ib.—1, Chan Wah-tin; 2, Kwok Kum-hung; 3, Kong Kwong-yun; 4, Tung In-tan; 5, Li Yue-lin.

Mr. Young expressed the hope that the children would have an enjoyable holiday and would return to school ready to work even harder than before.

Mrs. Reid and Mr. Young were accorded three hearty cheers.

GENEVA MEETING.

RENEWED HOPE OF AGREEMENT.

Geneva, Jan. 21.

At the Opium Conference discussion, M. D'Aladier (France) associated himself with Lord Cecil's pronouncement, and read a declaration by the French Government undertaking to carry out in its territory the abolition of the use of prepared opium, within certain fixed periods, completely and progressively.

Renewed hopes of a solution of the deadlock have followed the unanimous adoption of a Swedish motion for an adjournment for a discussion of the American proposals, so as to allow an effort to be made to find a compromise.—*Reuter.*

A SORRY END.

London, Jan. 21.

The British warship *Monarch*, one of the vessels to be scrapped under the Washington Treaty, was sunk at sea yesterday.—*Reuter.*

U.S. AMBASSADOR.

Washington, Jan. 21.

The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Mr. Edgar Bunker as Ambassador to Japan.—*Reuter American Service.*

INDUSTRY IN CHINA.

PROGRESS AND POSSIBLE EVIL.

INTERESTING MEDICAL CONFERENCE PAPER.

The Public Health Section of the Medical Conference to-day considered the problem of health and modern industry in China.

In this connection Dr. C. T. Maitland, of Tsinan, read an interesting paper. Modern industry, he said, had now come to China, but the East had not yet awakened to the importance of occupation as a factor in industry. In China we found in addition to lack of knowledge the Oriental acceptance of things as they existed, and little desire for betterment or change. They were content with things which had remained as they were for centuries and continued to experience bitter days without passing a word of complaint.

The most recent and reliable figures obtainable showed that there were in China 19,000 factories and in them 600,000 workers.

There were not, so far, in China the evils attendant upon the growth of the factory system such as were experienced in the industrial revolutions in England. But they were doubtless coming. The cloud no bigger than a man's hand was in the sky. One probable evil was the temptation to employ child labour.

Regarding working conditions in Chinese factories, he had been into many and in some the humid atmosphere in which the workers had to work would have been strongly condemned according to the English standpoint. Early hours was another point. In Shanghai now tens of thousands of people had to turn out at 5 a.m. to the sound of a factory siren, day in and day out. There were in some places 50 per cent. and in others 80 per cent. of the people living below the poverty line.

One delegate, at the close of the paper, said he thought probably the best way of approaching the problem would be to point out to the owners of factories that better hygienic conditions would lead to better work and more profits.

WEALTHY COUPLE.

The linking of two wealthy families took place in the recent marriage of Hon. Stuart Albert Samuel Montagu, eldest son and heir of Lord Swaythling, and Miss Mary Violet Levy, eldest daughter of the late Major W. H. Levy, D.S.O., and Hon. Mrs. Levy, daughter of Lord Bearsted. The two families are enormously wealthy. Lord Bearsted five years ago purchased part of Berkeley-square and property in Mayfair, the deal involving a sum of £5,000,000.

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There should also be some means of avoiding unduly high rates for protection of gold reserves. The knowledge that the friendly co-operation of America was available in case of need would be helpful in considering the precise moment for reopening a free gold market in London.—*Reuter.*

"SAINT JOAN."

GOING TO SHANGHAI.

It can now be stated that the Hongkong A. D. C. will proceed to Shanghai and there stage Bernard Shaw's "Saint Joan," which has been such a success here. Practically the whole cast will be able to get away, as the production will in all probability be staged for a week commencing February 15th, which coincides with Race Week here. A telegram has been despatched to Shanghai to arrange convenient dates, and the play will in all probability be put on at the Carlton Theatre.

Yesterday afternoon the final matinee performance of "Saint Joan" took place at the Theatre Royal, the part of the Maid being taken with much success by Mrs. Saltor. At night, there was another performance, with Mrs. Beale in the title role. The final show takes place to-night.

RUSSO-JAPANESE AGREEMENT.

TREATY TERMS.

Peking, January 21.—The Russo-Japanese Treaty provides for the revision or abolition of various old treaties; the enactment of a Treaty of Commerce, based on freedom of travel and residence; private ownership; and most favoured nation treatment. A clause provides against propaganda. The Soviet Government agrees to give approved Japanese coal and oil concessions. Notes were exchanged with regard to the continuance of Japanese work in North Sakhalien.—*Reuter.*



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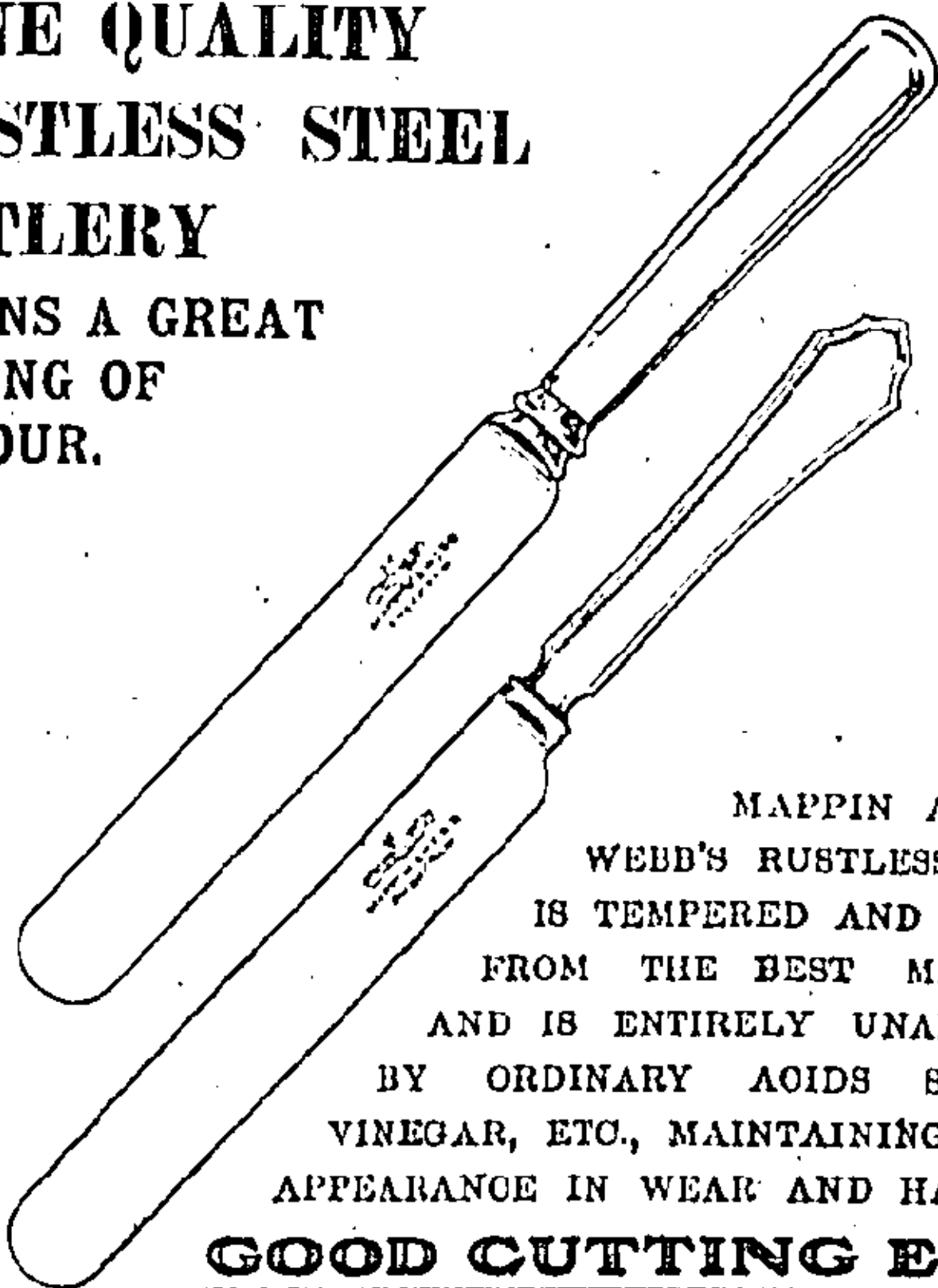
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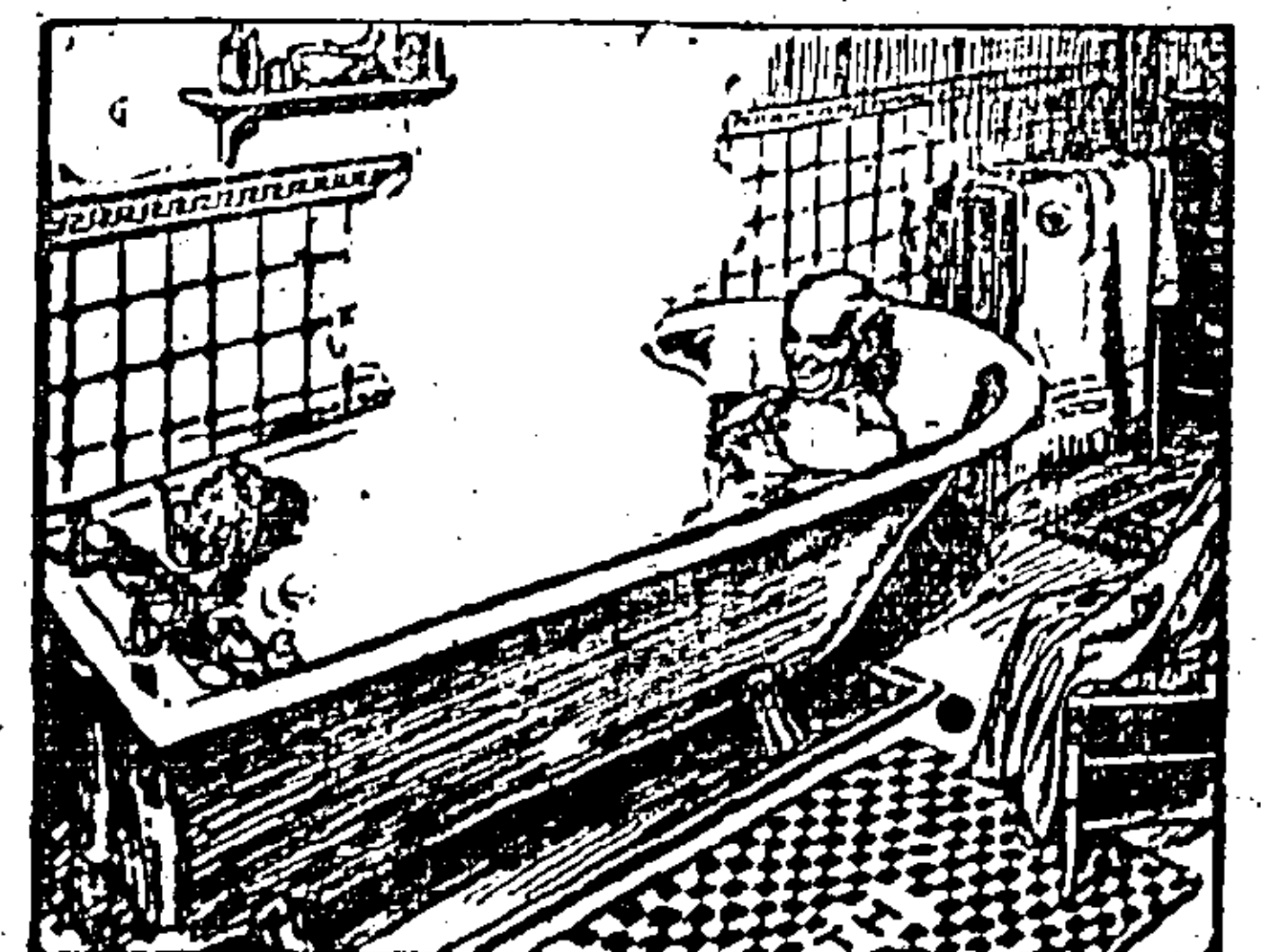


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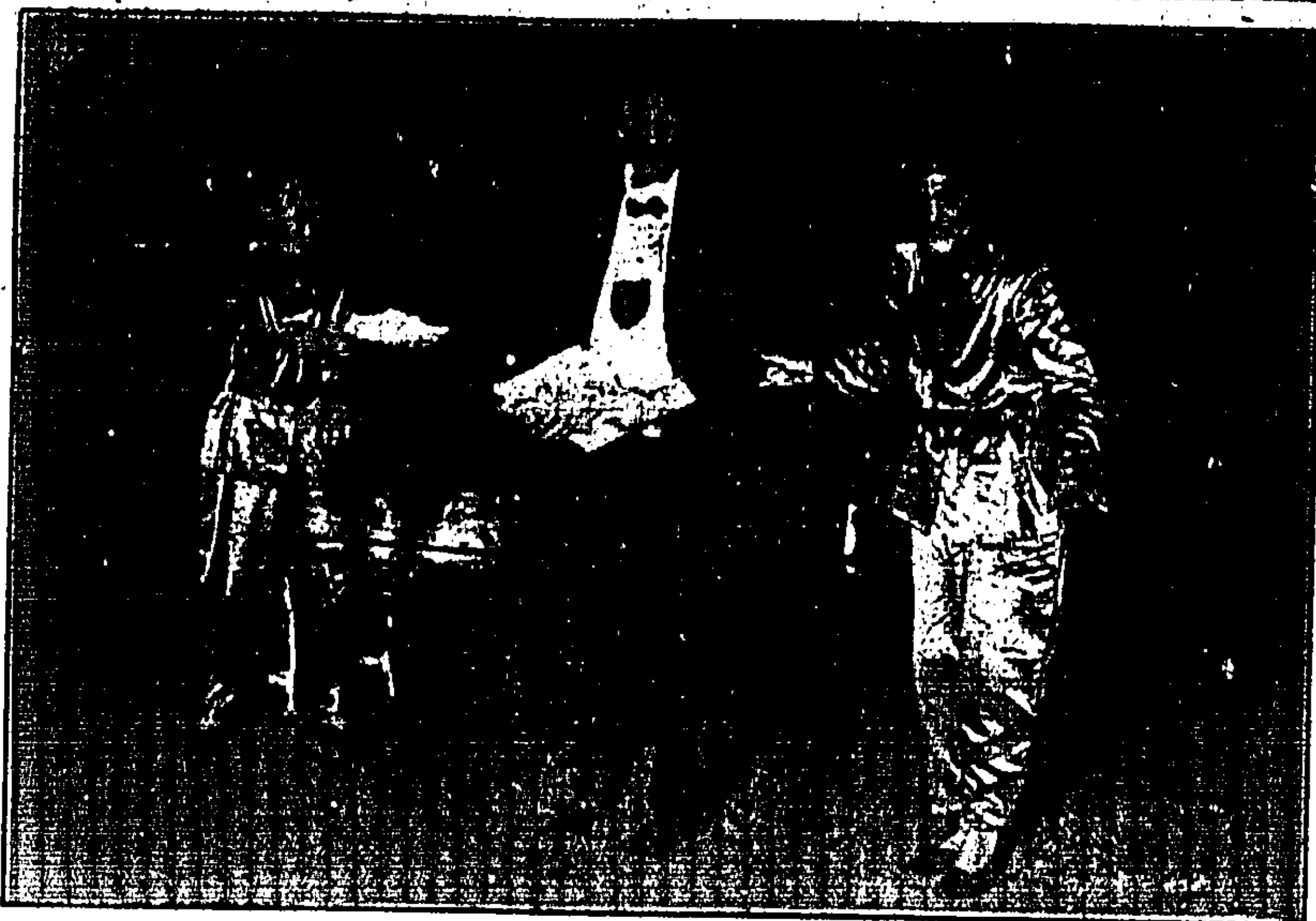
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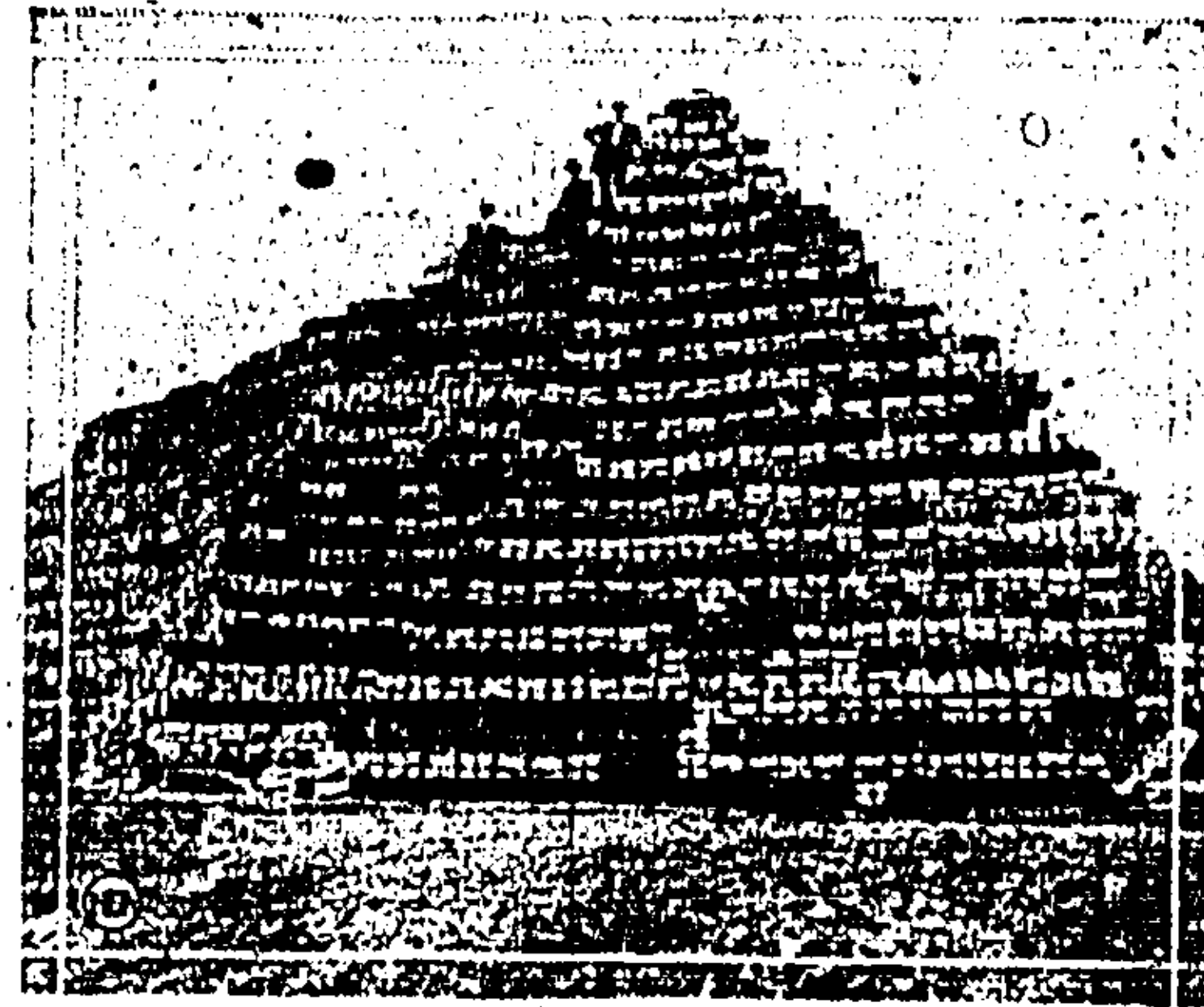
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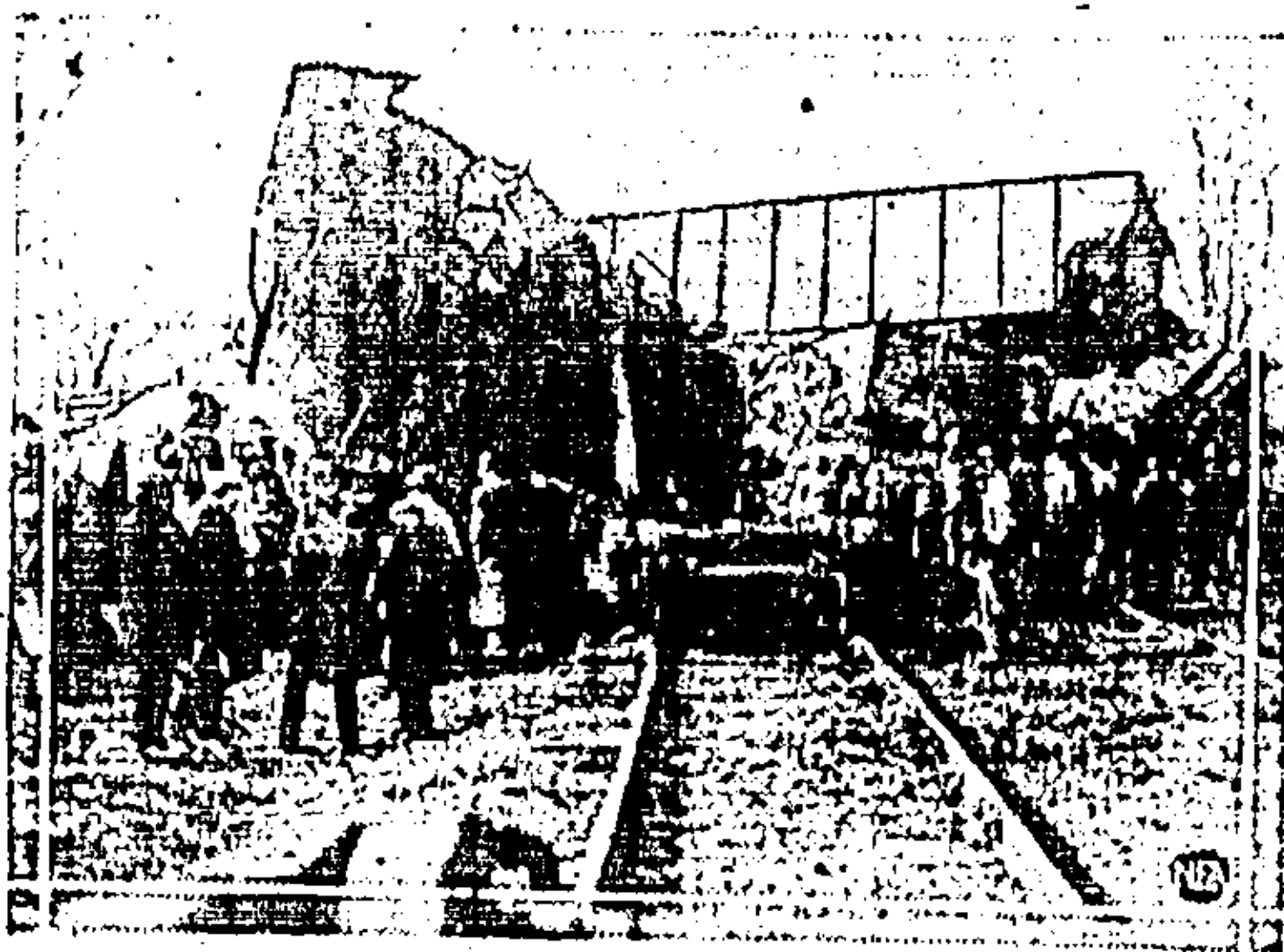
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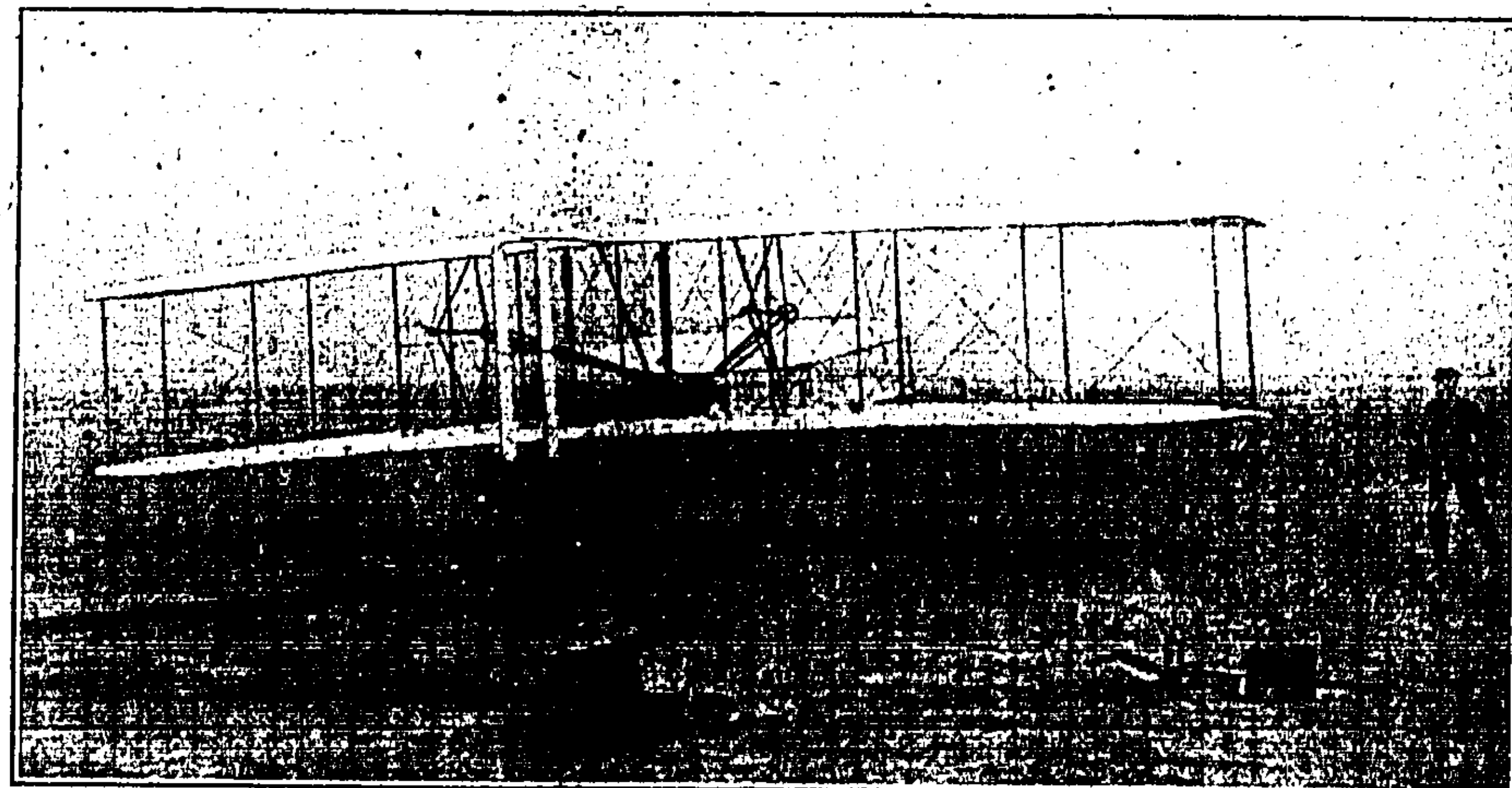
COMING SOON.—Above is seen Mr. Charles Mason, the comedian in Madeline Rossiter's Company, which opens a season of six nights at the Theatre Royal on Saturday, 24th instant.



UNUSUAL PICTURE.—Not a pyramid in Egypt, but a pile of New York City telephone directories waiting to be made into pulp and then into new paper. The New York directory has become so bulky that the latest issue is in two editions. Men atop the pyramid give an idea of the bulk.



DOUBLE SMASH.—One freight train hit an open switch at Richmond. It was wrecked and a second freight train ran into the debris. Two were killed.



THE FIRST FLIGHT.—The start of the 1903 flight, showing the Wright machine leaving the starting rail. Three other flights were made on the same day. ("The Times" Copyright photograph; picture in possession of the Science Museum).

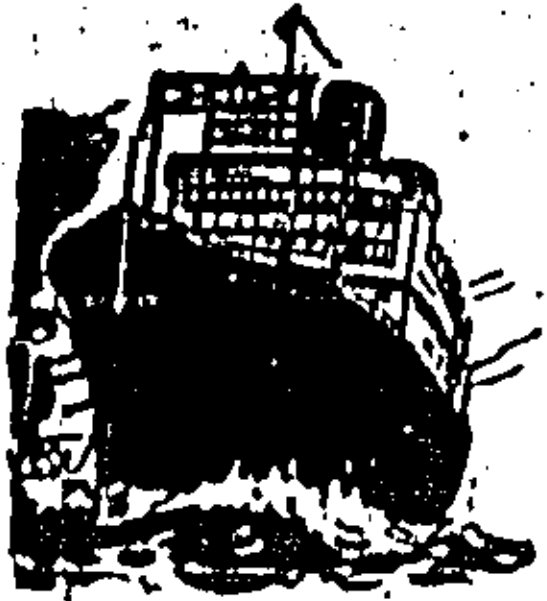


GREAT LOSS IN LOOTED NANKING.—About half a million dollars of property was the extent of the damage done in Nanking by soldiers General Chi's bodyguard who, disgusted with being left unpaid, looted parts of Nanking city. Looters did not spare Japanese stores, and several persons were shot. American Marines took up duty at the Drum Tower anticipating further trouble, but the disturbance was fortunately quelled. A number of the looters have been captured and beheaded. About 30 large buildings were destroyed by fire started by the looters.



SHANGHAI SNOW MAN.—This enterprising youngster wasted no time but started right away to build a snow man, and behold the result of his labour. . . . a snowman with a waist! This picture was snapped in the Public Gardens at Shanghai on the afternoon of January 3.

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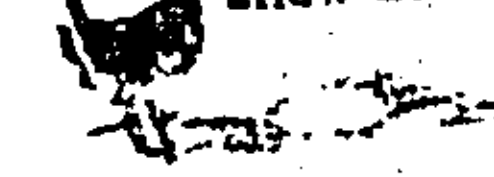
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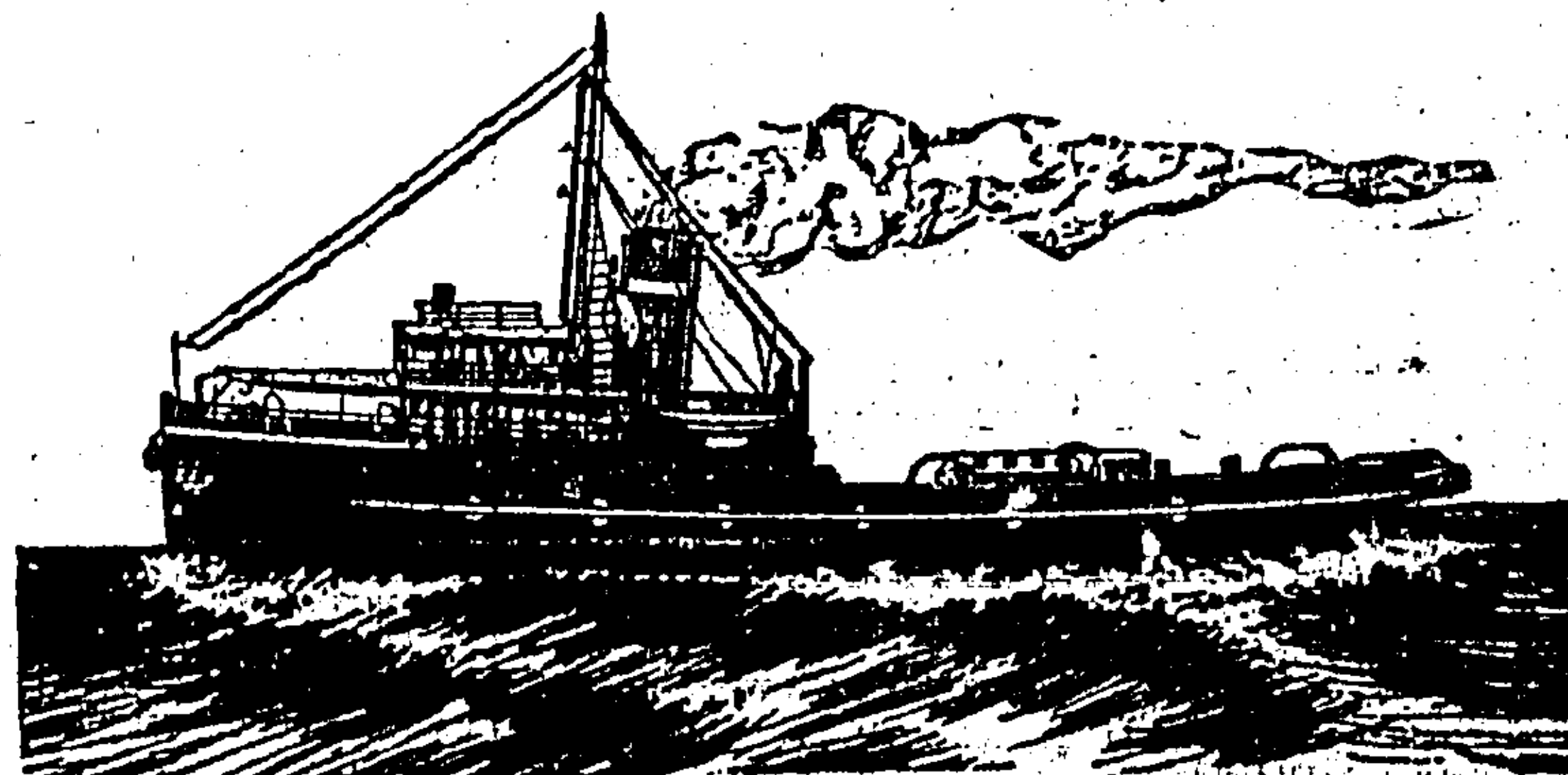
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MOJI MARU ... Friday, 30th Jan.

BENGAL MARU ... Saturday, 7th Feb.

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TANGO MARU ... Thursday, 12th Feb.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

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No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature immediately.

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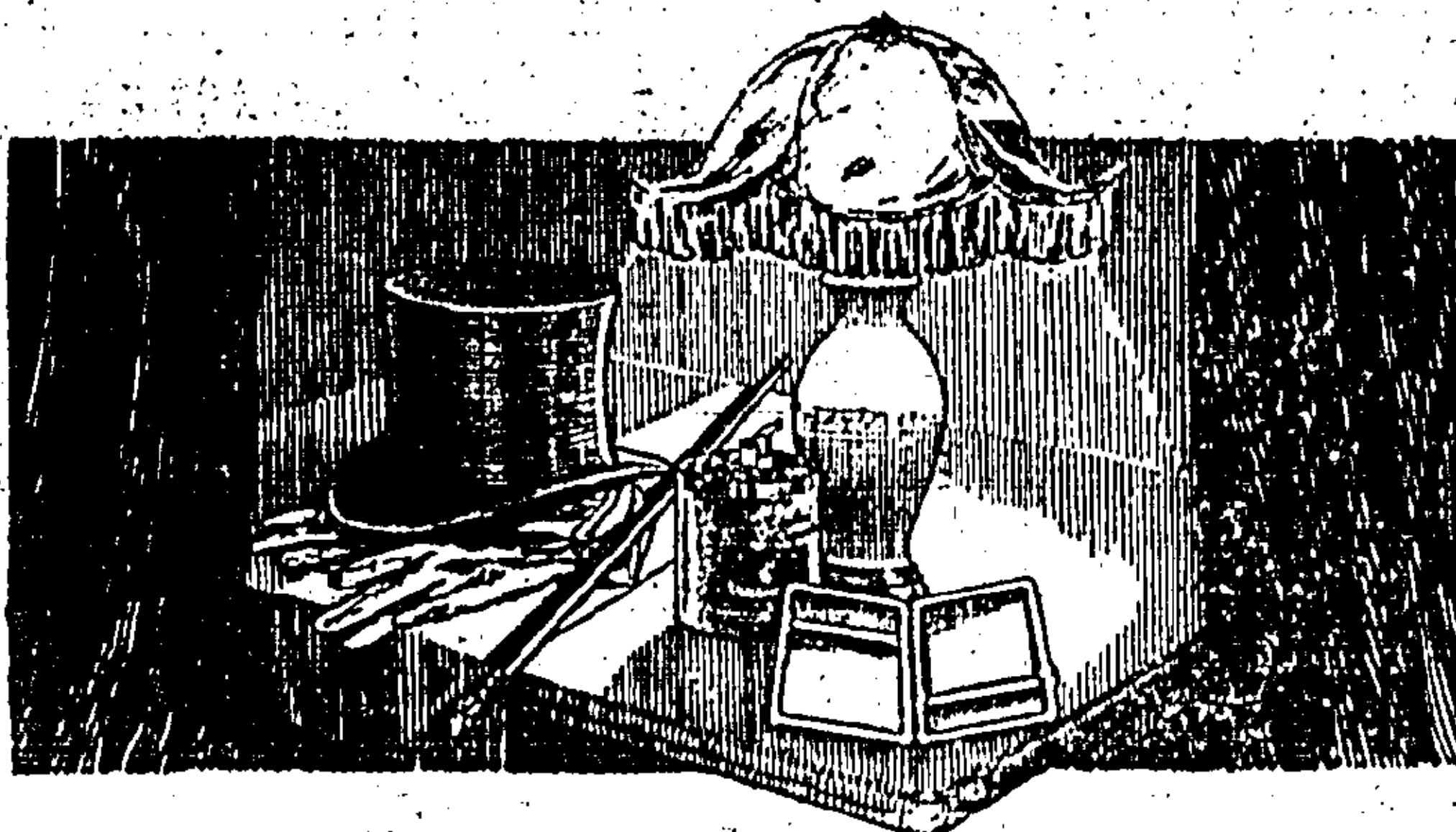
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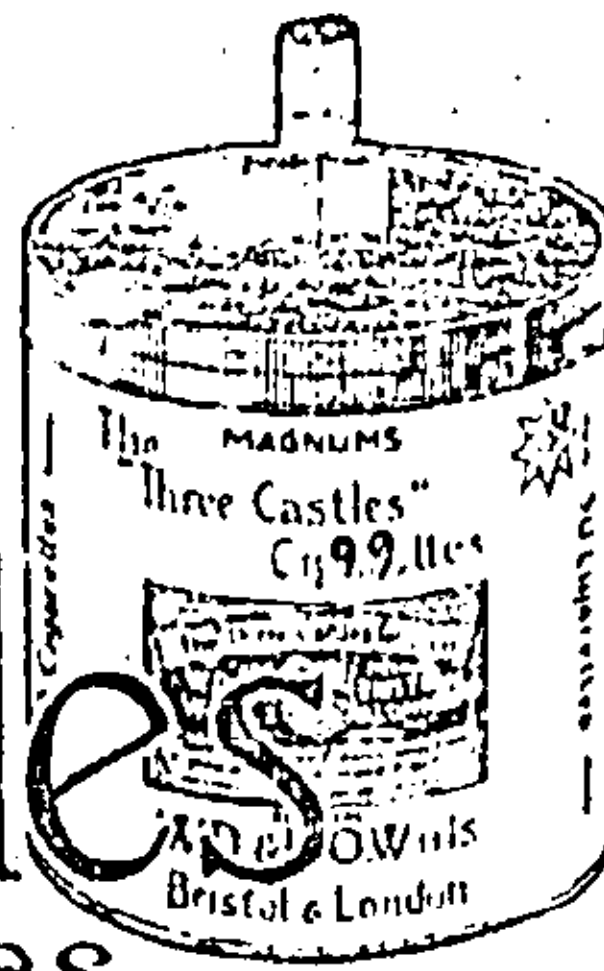


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In connection with above
Steamer are hereby informed that
their goods with the exception of
Opium, Treasure and Valuables
are being landed and stored at
their risks into the Godowns of
the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Co., Ltd. Kowloon
whence delivery may be obtained
immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded
on unless intimation is received
from the Consignees before
noon to-day the 21st inst request-
ing it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed by the Undersigned, Goods
remaining unclaimed after Wed-
nesday the 22nd inst. at Noon
with the exception of Damaged
cargo will be subject to rent and
landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to
me on or before the Friday the
30th inst., or they will not be
recognized.

All damaged packages will
be examined on Wednesday the
28th inst. at 10 a.m. by Messrs.
Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been
effected.

R. RODENFUSER,

Agent.
Hongkong, 21st Jan., 1925.

American Pioneer Line.

Cargo x "DRYDEN" which
arrived from NEW YORK via
Ports on the "Pres. Van Buren"
on 19th Jan. 1925.

Consignees are hereby notified
that their cargo is being landed
at their risk into the
hazardous and/or extra hazardous
godowns of the Hongkong
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co.,
at Kowloon, and stored at con-
signees' risk.

Consignees of Cargo must pro-
duce an Import Permit signed by
the Superintendent of Imports
and Exports, Hongkong, before
Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed.

All broken, chafed and damaged
cargo is to be left in the godowns
where it will be examined at
10 a.m. on 26th Jan. 1925, by the
Company's Surveyors Messrs.
Anderson and Ashie.

All claims must be presented
within thirty days of the
steamer's arrival here, after
which they cannot be recognised.
No claims will be recognised
after the goods have left the
godowns, and cargo undelivered
on and after 26th Jan. 1925, will
be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance whatever
will be effected.

Consignees are requested to
send in their Bills of Lading for
countersignature immediately.

United States Shipping Board
Emergency Fleet Corporation
AMERICAN PIONEER LINE,
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ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE
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The Steamship

"PRES. VAN BUREN"
having arrived from New York
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their risk into the hazardous
and/or extra hazardous godowns
of the Hongkong Kowloon
Wharf and Godown Company
at Kowloon, and stored at con-
signees' risk.

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duce an Import Permit signed by
the Superintendent of Imports
and Exports, Hongkong, before
Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed.

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cargo is to be left in the
godowns, where it will be exam-
ined at 10 a.m. on 26th Jan.
1925 by the Company's Surveyors
Messrs. Carmichael and Clarke.

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steamer's arrival here, after
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godowns, and cargo undelivered
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DOLLAR STEAMSHIP LINE
4, Des Vaux Road,
Hongkong, 21st Jan. 1925

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
MENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that the THIRTY
SEVENTH ORDINARY GEN-
ERAL MEETING OF SHARE-
HOLDERS in this Company will
be held at the Offices of Messrs.
Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on
TUESDAY, 10th FEBRUARY
1925, at noon for the purpose of
receiving the Report of the Directors
together with a Statement
of Accounts for the year ending
31st December 1924.

The REGISTER OF SHARES
of the Company will be CLOSED
from Friday, 23rd January to
Tuesday, 10th February, both
days inclusive, during which
period no transfer of shares can
be registered.

By Order of the Board of
Directors.

L. S. GREENHILL,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 13th January, 1925

ENTERTAINMENTS.

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